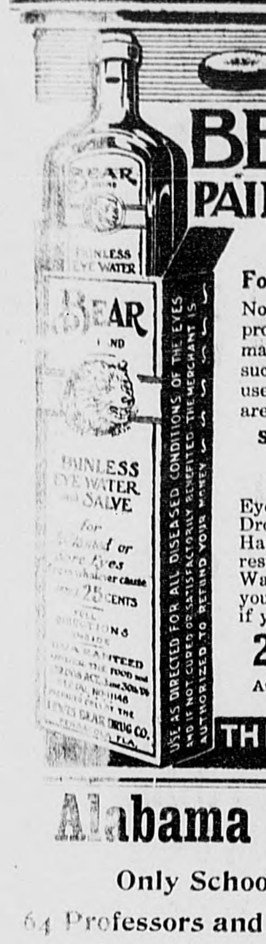

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REGISTRATION NOTICE.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 305, of the Alabama Code of 1907, we will sit in the several precincts of Coffee County for the purpose of Registering voters at the following terms and places, to-wit:

At Elba, in beat 6, on July 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th, 1910.

At Victoria, in beat 10, on Monday, July 18th, 1910.

In Beat 11 (Simmons Mill) on Tuesday, July 19th, 1910.

At Chesnut Grove, in Beat 10, on Wednesday, July 20th, 1910.

At Deanville, beat 15, on Thursday, July 21, 1910.

At Tillman's Mill beat 5, on Friday, July 22, 1910.

Beat 21, (Woodland Grove) on Saturday, July 23, 1910.

In Beat 9, at New Brockton, on Monday, July 25, 1910.

At Elba, in beat 6, on Tuesday, July 26, 1910.

In beat 4, (Childresville) on Wednesday, July 27 1910.

In Brannen's beat No. 3 on Thursday, July 28, 1910.

In Danelly's beat No. 2, on Friday July 29, 1910.

At Elba, in beat 6, on Saturday, July 30 1910.

In beat 12 (Centerville) on Monday, August 1st, 1910.

At Haw Ridge beat 13, on Tuesday, August 2, 1910.

In beat 8, at Dot, on Wednesday, August 3, 1910.

In beat 8, at Etta, on Thursday, August 4, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Friday and Saturday, August 5th and 6th, 1910.

In beat 6, (Elba) on Monday, August 15, 1910.

In Parker's beat No. 20, on Tuesday, August 16, 1910.

In beat 1 (Old Town) on Wednesday, August 17, 1910.

In beat 18, at Pink, on Thursday, August 18, 1910.

In beat 14 (Holley's) on Friday, August 19, 1910.

In beat 9, at New Brockton, on Saturday, August 20, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Monday, August 29, 1910.

In beat 7, at Goodman, on Tuesday, August 30, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Wednesday, August 31, and Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Saturday, Sept. 1, 2 and 3, 1910.

In beat 9, at Clintonville, on Monday, Sept. 5, 1910.

In beat 17, at Enterprise, on Tuesday and Wednesday Sept. 6 and 7, 1910.

NOTICE is further given, that as provided in Section 309 of Code of 1907, we will sit at Court House at Enterprise on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 26, 27 and 28, 1910, and at the Court House in Elba, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 29, 30 and 31, 1910, for purpose of registering voters.

NOTICE is further given, that beginning on the second Monday in August 1910, August 8th, we will sit at Court House at Elba to purge registration lists and may remain in session one week, as provided in section 323 of Code of 1907; and that as provided by Sec. 325 of Code of 1907 we will sit at Court House in Elba beginning on Monday, August 22, 1910, and may remain in session one week, to determin on striking names from registration list.

W. M. ANDERSON.
W. R. W. WHITE,
J. B. WHITTAKER,
Board of Registrars, Coffee County, Ala.

EUROPE IS SWEPT BY FEARFUL FLOOD

Towns Inundated, Property Is Destroyed, Lives Lost.

Stories of death and the sufferings of survivors are brought by refugees from the flood valley of the Ahr. The waters are rapidly subsiding, but while at their height they wrought frightful damage.

Several villages on the banks of the River Ahr were literally washed away. Houses, collapsing, buried their occupants beneath the flood. So strong was the current that it swept away locomotives and steam road rollers as a child might scatter its toys.

In some instances where the villagers, driven from their home by the waters, lacked time to reach the hill tops, they climbed into the branches of trees, only to be drowned as the rising waters tore the trees up by their roots and bore them away.

Near the mouth of the Ahr river a rescuing party recovered the bodies of a woman and an infant. The little one was tightly clasped in the mother's arms.

Buried Beneath Waters.

Inundations caused by swollen streams in the eastern and central districts of Switzerland have caused immense damage. A landslide at Altorf buried a factory building, killing a woman and ten children employes.

Bridges Swept Away.

Unprecedented rains throughout Belgium have been falling in the lower lying districts, creating heavy losses. Bridges have been carried away and stock drowned. The village of Moos has been devastated.

35 Lives Lost.

Floods, following torrential rains, have caused havoc in the valley of the Morava river. Thirty-five lives have been lost. The towns of Churpria, Jagodina and Svilainatz have been inundated. Water to a depth of from seven to ten feet has filled the streets. Many houses, undermined, have collapsed.

Many Towns Flooded.

The waters of the Lake of Constance have risen rapidly, flooding the lower streets of the various towns along its banks. Railway tracks have been submerged and on several railroad lines traffic has been suspended.

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GENERAL NEWS NOTES By vetoing various financial measures and cutting out items in the annual appropriation and supply bills, Governor Hughes has reduced the annual New York state appropriations by nearly $5,000,000. Appropriation bills passed by the state legislature totaled $46,570,900. After they had been bluepenciled by the governor and excluding $2,655,000 contributed to the sinking funds, the total has been reduced to $39,601,200, a saving of $4,713,700. The appropriation last year amounted to $36,242,100.

A monument to the memory of the late Dr. William H. Felton was unveiled at Cartersville, Ga., Sunday afternoon, a crowd of more than 2,000 people being in attendance at the unveiling exercises.

Through the office of state secretary at Dallas, Texas, Chairman A. B. Storey, of the state Democratic executive committee, has sent out a call for the Democratic convention to be held at Galveston on August 9. All state officers are to be nominated at this convention. The campaign is very bitter between the four gubernatorial candidates, prohibition being the principal question.

President Tafe has accepted an invitation to visit the Appalachian exposition at Knoxville, Tenn., the latter part of September. The date will be fixed later. The president on this trip will also visit the Tennessee state fair at Nashville.

By a vote of 4,962 to 693 the people of Birmingham, Ala., have declared for a commission form of government. The question will go to the next legislature. Culpepper Exum was elected mayor and George Bodeker was re-elected chief of police.

A remarkable operation has just been performed at the post-graduate hospital by which a man has been provided with an artificial jaw of pure gold to replace a jawbone destroyed by disease. The operation is said to be the first of the kind ever performed in a New York hospital. Michael Wood, 54 years old, of Greenwich, Conn., is the patient.

Charleston, S. C.'s population is estimated by the census to be about 60,000, which is something less than was expected, but which is due, it is thought, by the withdrawal from this city of some 10,000 negroes in the past ten years. The proportion of white citizens has increased.

A Providence, R. I., dispatch says: Colonel Samuel P. Colt is a candidate for Senator Aldrich's place, according to an announcement made by General Chas. R. Brayton, the Republican boss. Senator Aldrich is said to favor the candidacy of Henry S. Lippitt.

The management of the San Antonio and Arkansas Pass railroad has granted an advance in salaries to all telegraphers on the road, amounting to about 5 per cent, and has also granted considerable concessions in the way of shorter hours.

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SAY NEGRO WAS SOLD FOR YEARS.

Federal Grand Jury Investigating Matter.

Montgomer Advertiser.

Ada Freeman, a negro woman, with a baby in her arms, sold all her hogs in Coffee county a few days ago in order to come to Montgomery. She wanted to appear before the Federal grand jury to secure the release of her husband, who, she declared, was sold from farm to farm by the white men of Coffee county. The term of the grand jury was prolonged in order to investigate her story, and a report ot their finding will doubtless be made within a few days.

The woman said her husband had been arrested in Coffee county in 1902 for carrying concealed weapons. At the preliminary hearing, a farmer appeared before the trial magistrate, and confessed judgment, paying the fine of $123 assessed. The negro then entered into a contract, it is said, whereby he was to receive $5 a month for his work, clothing and food. The $5 a month was to be credited in payment of the fine which the farmer had paid to the magistrate.

Freeman, so his wife states, worked for the farmer for eighteen months, and the farmer then sold him to a neighbor at a profit, it is said. The negro was again sold, and, according to his wife, the orginal debate grew with each transfer. This sale of Freeman continued until three years ago, when his wife said he ran away into Florida.

His last purchaser, according to the woman's story, had Freeman indicted on the charge of breaking a contract, and also on the charge of having obtained money under false pretenses. He was brought back into Coffee county, and again entered into a contract similar to the first one.

He worked for about a year, and is said to have been transferred to another farmer, who, in his turn, sold Freeman to a neighbor. The transfer of the negro had gone on for about eight years, and the negro woman appealed to the Federal grand jury to put an end to the matter. The appeal to the grand jury came when Freeman refused to work longer, saying that the farmer refused to furnish food for the mule he worked the fields with, and further refused to allow his wife, five children and himself sufficient food. On his refusal to work Freeman was placed in the Coffee county jail at Elba, according to the negro woman,s story.

On the day that Freeman's wife told her story to the Federal grand jury a writ was issued from the United States court calling upon the sheriff of Coffee county to produce Freeman as a witness before the Fedral grand jury. Subpoenas were issued at the same time for various farmers of Coffee county, and they have given testimony before the grand jury for the past three days.

It is understood that the government is taking a great deal of interest in the case, for it is thought that it can be shown that the machinery of the state courts in enforcing the statute concerning these contracts for labor works great injustice, and is often misused.

Freeman is now at the Montgomery county jail awaiting action of the grand jury in the matter.

Base Ball.

Elba's second nine and Opp played ball on Elba's diamond Friday. The game had plenty of batting and errors, and the score was Elba 22 and Opp 11.

Singing at Liberty Church

The people round Liberty Church, in spite of the rain, met on the glorious fourth and spent the day in singing.

The house was culled to order by L. F. Young singing song No. 88; prayer by J. N. Scarborough; introductory lesson by Marion King.

Motion that the class go into organization. Elected L. F. Young, chairman; D. G. Blair, Vice-Chairman; J. W. Rachels, Secretary and D. G. Blair, B. G. Young, G. F. Matthews, J. H. Farris, Button Hattaway, Marion King, arranging committee.

Recess ten minutes.

House called to order by chairman singing one song. Committee reported lessons of three songs each by three: Aaron Parker, Jim Johnson, Sept. Davis. Recess 10 minutes.

Called to order by chairman singing. Lessons by four, four songs each: Eli Bowden, Button Holloway, A. W. Hichman, T. D. Woodten.

Adjourned one hour for dinner, and there was a fine dinner and plenty for all.

Called to order by chairman singing. Committee reported lessons by four, three songs each: J. M. Davis, C. O. Helms, W. F. Mathews, B. W. Smith. Recess 10 minutes.

Called to order by chairman, Three songs each by C. R. Helms, R. F. Blair, J. M. Donaldson. Recess 10 minutes.

Called to order by chairman singing three songs. Committee reported lessons by three of three songs each; J. E. Davis, D. G. Blair, W. M. Scarborough. Closed by chairman, singing song "Farewell to All." Prayer by C. O. Helms.

The following resolution was passed: Resolved, that we, the people here assembled, tender our sincere thanks to the citizens on this community for the kind and hospital treatment we have received here to-day.

Respectfully submitted by J. M. Donaldson.

J. W. Rachels, Sec.

Helms Family Reunion.

The twelfth annual re-union of the family ot Mrs. Martha Helms was held at her home in North Coffee of the fourth of July. There were present, from several different counties, eight children, thirty-seven grand-children, and six great-grand-children, also a large number of friends

As is the custom the family assembled early in the day and organized a singing class, with M. W. Helms as chairman. Then followed the programme as follows:

The morning lesson was led for fifteen minutes by each of the following: T. A. Helms, J. P. Helms, A. C. Helms, J. H. Weed, M. A. Helms and A. F. Helms.

At noon an hour was given for refreshments, and a bountiful repast was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

In the afternoon there were lessons led by Levy Johnson, Charley Helms, C. F. Corbett, then a recess of ten minutes, followed by lessons of three songs each by eight: Melvin Chapman, L. Hudson, A. J. Clowers, R. E. Culliver, Joel Helms, W. J. Wilkins, A. B. Brooks, L. J. Wood.

After a day of pleasant association and enjoyment the class was adjourned by the chairman to meet again on July 4th, 1911.

J. L. Hudson, Sec.

The devil seems to have broken loose in Alabama last week, and from all sections came news of murders, assaults, and other crimes of like kind.

Family Reunion.

The family of Mr. N. G. Baker met in re-union at the home of Mr. J. F. Patterson, in Victoria, on the 4th.

Those present were J N Banker and Mrs. M A Whistenton, of Pike county; C C Baker, of Dale; Mrs. J F Patterson, Mrs. J F Brooks, Mrs. C R Tindol and J P Baker, of Victoria. Mrs. G L Smith of Opp, was the only living child not present. There were a large number of grand-children and a few great-grand-children, with many close friends also in attendance.

The day was spent in singing Sacred Harp songs, and some fine music was made, as there are a number of good voices in the family. The dining room was to small to accommodate the crowd so the tables were spread in the yard where a fine dinner was enjoyed by all.

In the afternoon many photographs of the family in different groups were made.

Mr. Baker, head of this large family, was born in Oglethorpe, Ga., July 4th, 1833. He moved to Pike County in 1842 where he married Lucie Boutwell in 1857. He then moved to Victoria and has resided there continuously since.

In 1862 Mr. Baker inlisted in the confederate army and served through the war. He made a good soldier and was in a number of battles. He has always been a good man and a good citizen, doing his full duty to family and neighbors, and has at all times been ready and willing to help those in need.

He now resides with his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Patterson, at Victoria, and at the age of 77 still manages to get much joy out of life and to lend a helping hand on many occasions.

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Notice About Commissioners Court.

The commissioners' court meets under the law in regular sessions for the transaction of general business on the second Monday in February and August, at Elba and on the first Mondays in April and November, Enterprise. Under the law as it was before the recent change, the July term of court that will be held at Elba beginning July 11th next was a general as well as tax term. But under the law it will be only a tax term, and persons who have bills against the county, road business and general business need not come, for at the July term only Tax matters can be passed on. This notice is given with a view to saving any persons who may have business with the court trouble of coming when it can not be taken up.

Given by order of the court.

S. N. Rowe,
Probate Judge.

From Double-Head.

Mr. Editor:—As the old glorious fourth, that everybody loves, has just passed again, I suppose that I had better tell you just how it happened here. As for myself I had a real glorious day.

Mr. Lee Hudson and Miss Irene Grant spent a very enjoyable day at Mrs. Helms' family reunion. They report a good time and plenty to eat.

Our school commences this morning at Double-Head, Miss Irene Grant being the teacher. We cant help but be proud of her and wishing her much success.

Mr. Cyros and Miss Amy Ross attended preaching at Center Ridge Sunday last. They got wet but had a nice time "you bet" Ah! the good old big meeting will soon be on hand. Wont we go and eat "water millions" to a "solo finish."

Nettie P.

Court Work.

County Court is grinding on this week, the most of the time being taken up with civil cases. The criminal week's work ended on Friday, though a number of criminal cases were passed over to this week for trial.

Graveyard Working.

Parties interested in the graveyard at Dannelly's Cross Roads are requested to meet there Friday July 22nd. for the purpose of working out the yard.

G. W. Clark,
N. Cain.
Jess Lindsey.

Rally At Sandhill.

A letter from Supt. Byrd to The Clipper states that there was a very interesting educational rally held at Sandhill school house a few days ago, and that much enthusiasm was in evidence. It was resolved to begin the the erectioned a new school building in a short time.

The Sandhill Brass Band furnised some splendid music for the occasion.

Report That Alabama Soldiers Will Go to Nicaragua.

Montgomery, July 10—An officer of the Alabama national guard will pick 500 men at the encampment at Chickamauga next week who will volunteer for duty in Nicaragua, according to a report which has gained currency in Montgomery.

It is declared that the officer and his men selected will sail for Nicaragua soon after the closing of the encampment. The quota will be used to bring to an end the hostilities between the forces of Estrada and Madriz. It is not stated what side the Americans will fight on. It is averred they will form the nucleus of the peace or passi army in inspiring awe by their newly acquired millitary knowledge.

It can not be found out from what point the expedition will sail or any probable date.

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DEATH HAS CLAIMED SENATOR DANEIL

Illustrious Virginian Answers Final Summons.

John W. Daniel, senior senator from Virginia and for more than 30 years Virginia's favorite son, died at the Lynchburg sanitarium, Lynchburg, Va., his death being due to a recurrence of paralysis.

The immediate cause of his death was a cerebral hemorrhage sustained in the right portion of his brain, involving the right side. This was in addition to the paralysis of the left side, which was sustained last winter, while in Florida.

The statesman's illness began with a slight attack of apoplexy in Philadelphia, last October, this keeping him from being in his seat at the opening of congress last December. Only once since that had he appeared before the audience and that was for an informal talk in January.

The end was almost without a struggle. Dissolution was very rapid, for when the final and complete failure of heart action began, it progressed with great rapidity and in five minutes the patient was dead.

John W. Daniel was elected to the United States senate to succeed General Mahone for the term beginning March 4, 1887, and was serving his fourth term at the time of his death. He was a gallant Confederate soldier, serving as chief of staff to General Jubal Early, with the rank of major. He was thrice wounded during the war, the last wound received in the Wilderness May 6, 1864, crippling him for life. He was born at Lynchburg, September 6, 1842.

JUSTICE FULLER DEAD.

Life of Noted Jurist Comes to End Rather Suddenly.

Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller, of the United States supreme court, died of heart failure at his summer home in Sorrento, Me., Monday.

CHIEF JUSTICE FULLER.

The death of the chief justice was entirely unexpected, as he had been apparently in good health lately and there had been no premature symptoms of any kind of trouble. Sunday he attended church as usual, and when he retired at night he was to all appearances in his customary health.

His daughter, Mrs. Nathaniel Francis, and the Rev. James F. Freeman, who was a guest of Justice Fuller at his Sorrento cottage, "Mainstay," were with the jurist when he died.

Chief Justice Fuller was in his 78th year.

H. H. Rumble, a prominent member of the Norfolk, Va., bar, has been nominated for congress by the Republicans of the Second Virginia District in convention at Ocean View, Va.

The Duke D'Alencon, grandson of King Louis Philippe, who was deposed by the revolution of 1884, died at London, England, recently.

Several American Rhodes scholars have been awarded honors for the last collegiate year at Oxford, Eng. E. D. Metzger, of Washington, takes first class honors in school jurisprudence; F. D. Griffiths, of California, F. E. Hohnan, of Utah, and W. T. Stockton, of Florida, take second class; and R. E. Blake, of Tennessee, and S. H. Blalock, of Washington, third class.

Associate Justice William H. Moody, of the United States supreme court, who has been a patient at a hospital in Brooklyn, Mass., for several months came to Gloucester, Mass., and will spend the remainder of the summer in a cottage at Magnolia

The Minnesota prohibition convention has nominated for governor J. F. Heiberg, Twin Valley; lieutenant governor, F. D. Engle, Minneapolis.

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ELBA, ALA. JULY 12, 1910.

The Alabama Baptist says some folks have actually mortgaged their homes to buy automobiles. Well what does any one want with a home if they can get an auto.

The legislature in Georgia has prohibited the sale of soda water and other soft drinks in one town of that state because the boys from a near by college spent all their money, and then some more, at the founts. If this isn't the limit, where is it? Next they will be prohibited the sale of gum in seminary towns, and proscribing the length of morning and evening prayers.

The dairy interest of this country is said to represent an investment of seven hundred million dollars, and dairy products are sold to the amount of one billion dollars each year. It is nothing very uncommon now for a good cow to sell for $250, and some of them bring several thousand.

The booster spirit seems to have struck Alabama full in the face, and its a mighty dead town that doesnt boast a booster club or some other kind of "pulling" combination, It is the right spirit and is going to bring results of the right kind.

Government post office agents are after newspapers now for carrying "dead head" and "going-to-pay" subscribers. Some editors have been summoned to Washington to appear before the court. Well if the government ever want us in Washington it had better enclose railroad ticket along with the summons, or make walking dates.

The democratic prophet has again bobbed up with the prediction that "crowns of victory we shall wear" next year. And it is going to continue to be next year so long as Billy Bryan makes the platform and acts as dictator.

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Sheriff's Sale of Personal Property.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Coffee county, Ala., and to me directed, whereby I, as sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of eighty and sixty one hundredths dollars, costs of suit, the amount of a certain judgement and costs therein obtained at the spring term, 1906, of said court of said county, Alabama, in favor of G W Gunter against E L Harper I as as sheriff of said county, have levied on the following property viz:

One gray pony known as the Josie Brooks horse; one single open buggy and harness.

Therefore according to said command, I will sell at public auction, all the right, title and interest of the above named E L Harper in and to the above described property, between the hours of 11 a. m, and 4:00 o'clock p. m., on the 14th day of July, 1910, at Elba, Ala., in front of the court house door.

This 4th day of July, 1910.

J. B. Knight, Sheriff.

BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT
A Positive Cure For

Rheumatism, Cuts, Old Sores, Stiff Joints, Sprains, Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Corns, Bunions and all Pain.

Mr. R. M. Hays, Traveling Representative of the Galveston—Dallas News, 202 Cedar Springs Ave., Dallas, Texas, writes:—Iregard Ballard's Snow Liniment the best remedy on the market for Rheumatism. It took me off my crutches when other noted remedies had failed.

Three Sizes, 25c, 50c and $1.00

Ballard Snow Liniment Co., ST. LOUIS, MO.

Sold and Recommended by

CITY DRUG CO.

It does with that the amount of money appropriated each year by the state to colleges that a college course should be in reach of most any child in the state But a glance through the various catalogues will show that it takes a good deal of cash to get through these "polish" factories.

An auction sale of thoroughbred Jersey cattle recently held at Coopersburg, Penn., $8,000 paid for a cow, and a bull brought, $11,100. This was the highest price ever paid for a cow. Several millionaires were bidding at the ringside during the sale and several cows brought as high as $1,800. —Florala Democrat.

And now comes the complaint that Supreme Court Judges are over-worked, that they cant keep up with their business, and a new court must be established, and a new lot of lawyers given fat salaries to relieve the strain. Whenever we hear of overworked state officials it wrings our heart with pain, and we are suffocated with awe, at the noble patriotism that moves these gifted men to sacrifice their invaluable lives on the alter of their state. It is simply heart-breaking to see how these noble sons of our great state sweat and work. Nearly every every week day(when not on a vacation)they are at work by ten o'clock in the morning and very often are chained down to work until after three in the afternoon, with only an hour and a half or two hours for dinner. Thus they put in some four or five hours a day at work for several months during the year. It is a most strenuous life and some few of them have resigned to rest, rest! and other have died under the strain at less than an hundred years of age. Surely the hearts of a generous people will be touched by this pittiful spectacle of over-worked judges, and they will joyfully go down in their jeans and dig up the dough to establish another court, or two courts if necessary, to relieve the strain.

Carelessly compounded prescriptions are not always dangerous but they will nulify the skill of the best physician in the world. Therefore you should take your prescriptions where you know they will be filled accurately and carefully—just as they are written. The City Drug Co. is the place.

Dairy men are complaining that cotton seed meal has reached such a high price that something else will have to be found for dairy cows.

Notice of Change in School Districts.

We, the undersigned trustees of district No. 8, petition the County Board of Education of Coffee County to take from district No. 68 and add back again to district No. 8, the following:

Commencing on land line between sections 36 and 25 where the line crosses Helm's mill creek thence up said creek to center of section 26, thence west to section line between 26 and 27, thence south one half mile to southwest corner of 26, thence east on said section line to Helm's mill creek. Taking in all of section 25 southwest of Helm's mill creek, and also south half of section 26.

J. H. Harrison,
C. O. Helms.
W. Y. Cain.

This June 20th, 1910.

A SANE FOURTH.

Total of 28 Dead Reported Against a Total of 44 Last July Fourth.

The restrained observance of the Fourth of July has resulted in a material decrease in the number of casualties in the country, according to figures compiled by the Chicago Tribune.

This year's list of dead throughout the country so far reached is 28. Last year the same total was 44. The whole number of injured last year was 2,361. This year there were only 1,785.

Only One Killed in New York.

Five persons were killed July the Fourth, 1909, and but one death was due to fireworks in New York city. Three hundred and thirteen were hurt by fireworks, cannons and pistols last year and only 89 Monday last; there were 116 fires a year ago; Monday there were but 38, all insignificant. This is a showing over which the advocates of a safe and sane Fourth are entitled to boast.

$300,000 FIRE LOSS.

Business and Residential Section of Benton, Pa., Is Wiped Out.

A fire which did damage amounting to approximately $300,000 destroyed 60 buildings, made 30 families homeless and wiped out the business and residential section of Benton, Columbia county. An exploding firecracker thrown among the straw in the barn of George Crossley was the cause of the fire.

The fire broke out in the afternoon and it was until late at night before the flames were under control. Fanned by a high wind, the flames swept through a residential street and soon reached the business section of the town.

DR. HYDE IS GIVEN A TERM FOR LIFE

Result of the Famous Swope Murder Trial.

Dr. B. C. Hyde, convicted of having poisoned Colonel Thomas H. Swope, the millionaire philanthropist, was sentenced to life imprisonment at hard labor by Judge Ralph Latshaw, in the criminal court at Kansas City, Mo.

An appeal to the state supreme court was filed by Hyde's attorney, and until it is taken up by the higher court the prisoner will remain in the county jail at Kansas City.

The doctor and his wife, who had stood by him faithfully, sat side by side and held each other's hands. Judge Latshaw promptly overruled the motion for arrest of judgment and commanded Dr. Hyde to stand up. Before passing sentence he asked the prisoner if he had anything to say.

At this point Attorney Lucus, for the defense, arose and told the court he had nothing to say.

Judge Latshaw said he could not grant bail.

The prisoner will be kept in the county jail until the supreme court has passed finally on his case, which may not be for six months.

NINETEEN PERSONS KILLED.

Fatal Collision Occurs on Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton.

Nineteen persons were killed outright, three probably fatally hurt, and half a dozen were seriously injured in a head-on collision between a freight and passenger train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad at Middletown, Ohio. Of the killed, 18 were passengers, the other victim being a member of the passenger train crew.

The trains were the Cincinnati section of the Twentieth Century Limited on the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, Big Four, and the second section of a freight train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railway.

The latter was attempting to make a siding to give the passenger train a clear track when the flyer, traveling at a rate of 50 miles an hour, flashed around a curve and crashed into it.

The "Big Four" Train had been detoured to avoid a blocked track on that road at Genoa, a few miles south of here, caused by a freight wreck earlier in the day. In addition to its regular crew it carried a pilot engineer of the Chicago, Hamilton and Dayton road, who was practically in charge of the train.

A misunderstanding of orders caused the disaster, which was one of the worst that this section of the country has ever experienced.

DESPERADO DEFIED OFFICERS.

Adair Barricaded in Store Near Falco Is Captured by Posse.

Olan Adair, who, while barricaded in the store of John W. Davis, near Falco, Ala., shot three men of a posse after him, was captured later, without trouble and is held at Falco.

J. H. Givan, who was fired upon from ambush, for which alleged offense Adair was sought, is not seriously injured, nor is either Alexander Givan, brother of the other Givan; B. F. Finley and George Coggswell the others wounded by Adair in his attempt to avoid arrest.

Alabama Normal College,
Livingston, Ala.

Full Normal and Literary Courses: English, Latin, French, German, Mathematics, Science.

New brick dormitory, hot and cold baths: excellent boarding department. Board $99.00 per session; tuition free. The only Normal in the state having a home for girls. Enrollment past session 520 pupils from forty-seven counties.

Special review classes to prepare for the December State examination under the the direction of an ex-member State Board of examiners. This school emphasizes the essentials in education. Fall term begins September 14th, 1910.

Write for catalogue, address, G. W. Brock, President, Livingston, Ala.

COST SALE.

Has been running Ten Days and we have sold lots of goods, but they are not near all gone.

Now is Your Opportunity

To save money, as everything must be sold in a Short time.

Below I give a few prices that will convince you that I mean what I say.

8 pounds soda 25c, Wafers or Saratoga flakes pound 15c can 18
8 pounds Good Luck Baking powders 20c, 3 cans tomatoes 19c
Old Dutch Cleaner 7c can, Matches 44c.per gross. Washing powders, several different kinds, 7 boxes for 25c.
Roasted Coffee: 25c size for 30c, 60c size 44c, $1 00 size 76 to 80
The best assortment of tobacco in Elba, 25, 30 and 84c per lb
Diamond C hams, the best on the market 20c pound, lard 12c
And thousands of other things too numerous to mention, all go at or below cost

I cannot charge anything at cost, no matter how good your credit is, for it costs time and money to collect debts

Special price will be given any one that I can sell my entire stock to My stock is fresh and well selected, my fixtures are the best and complete, and best of all they were bought right

A Bargain For Some One

D. H. McGEE, Elba, Ala.

Hot Walking Hot Riding

You can't get away from the heat; but you can keep it from hurting. Whenever you're hot, tired or thirsty

Drink Coca-Cola

It refreshes mentally and physically—relieves fatigue and quenches the thirst. Wholesome as the purest water and lots nicer to drink. *5c Everywhere.*

Delicious-Refreshing-Wholesome

Send for our free booklet "The Truth About Coca-Cola." Tells all about Coca-Cola, what it is and why it is so delicious, wholesome and beneficial. 2-T

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The Clipper $1 A Year.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Locals-Personals

"Mound City Paints many cost a trifle more, but—?
Planters Trading Co.

Rev. D. P. Lee is conducting a protracted meeting at County Line near Enterprise.

Mrs. Frank Bullard left yesterday for a month's visit to her mother at Union Springs. Two of her children went with her.

Messers O. C. Doster of Enterprise and H. L. Martin, of Ozark, are here attending court.

Phone your orders to the City Drug Company, prompt service is guaranteed.

Messers W. D. Patrick and Q. P. Davis went to Samson Saturday.

We want to show you our cut glass and jewelry, they will surely tickle you, and the prices will make you smile out real loud.
City Drug Co.

The best in drugs, always the cheapest. We sell the best.
City Drug Company.

Prof. T. R. Northey opened a fine writing school in the school building yesterday. In will continue ten days. The attendance is excellent, and it is believed that good work will be done.

JUST RECIEVED a new lin of American Beauty corsets of the latest styles at Vaughn & Kendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Talley and little Miss Flay Patrick are home from a visit to relatives at Abbeville. Mr. Talley is taking his regular annual vacation, and Mr. Foster. of Abbeville, is running as supply mail clerk on the Elba train during the vacation of Mr. Talley.

At the meeting of the Town council Saturday it was determined to do much street work in the next few weeks; the work will not begin till the last of next week, owing to the scarcity of labor.

Mrs. Sam Rubenstein and children have returned to Elba, after a visit to the family of Saul Paschtein.—Troy Messenger.

Mr. Frank Patterson, mail carrier on Victoria, Route 1, left last Friday, accompanied by his daughter, Valley, for Omega, Ga., where they will spend a short time visiting Mr. Patterson's sister, Mrs. Wm. Waters.

We spend time and money freely that our patrons may always be served with the best and purest drugs. City Drug Company.

Mr. M. C. Davis, who farms a few miles from town, brought to The Clipper office yesterday, a curiosity in tomatoes. Ten tomatoes grown together that looks like some of the old wood carvings of a bunch of grapes we used to see on old mahogony "before de war" furniture, done in scarlet.

I have one fine Jersey milk cow with young calf for lale.
D H. McGee Elba Ala.

Buy The Best
BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT

Always makes a hit when used for RHEUMATISM, SPRAINS, CUTS, WOUNDS, BURNS, STIFF JOINTS, CORNS, BUNIONS, ETC.,

Price, 25c, 50c and $1.00

BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO. ST. LOUIS, - MISSOURI.

Sold and Recommended by

City Drug Co.

Flying Machines

A few years ago flying machines were hardly thought of, nor was Scott's Emulsion in summer. Now *Scott's Emulsion* is as much a summer as a winter remedy. Science did it. All Druggists

Mr. Horace Brock, of Brockton, the newly elected Circuit Court Clerk of Coffee County will be in the office of Clerk J. W. Draughon for the next two months, getting acquainted with the intricacies of the office to which he has been nominated and to which he will no doubt be elected:—Geneva Reaper.

You can save money and help some worthy girl to win a fine piano by trading at The City Drug Co.

Messers T. M. Halley, Z. R. Fuller, B. H. Hattaway and Champion, of Pink, were visitors in Elba yesterday. They came through the country in an auto.

Indications now are that cotton is going to sell around 15c this fall and our farmers will plenty of money, which means that the whole country is to enjoy a season of unprecedented prosperity.

Pamala for MALARIA

Contains no quinine, arsenic or other harmful drug.

In cases of true malaria Pamala is a specific. Hundreds of letters from persons benefitted, endorse it.

A. E. Wupperman, 44 West 34th St., New York, April, 1910, writes:

"I know from actual experience in my own case that Pam-ala will give excellent results in the treatment of malaria."

50c. and $1.00 Bottles.

Davis & Lawrence Co., Agents, New York.

Very Low Excursion RATES. VIA Atlantic Coast Line.

CHICAGO, Ill. On sale May 31- Limited May 16th.
AUGUSTA, Ga. On sale May 2-4, Limited May 31st.
CINCINNATI, O. On sale May 5-9-10-11, Limited May 22. Extension by deposit and payment of $1.00 fee to May 31st.
BALTIMORE, Md., On sale May 8-9-10, Limited June 1st.
RICHMOND, Va., On sale May 11-12, Limited May 29.
NEW ORLEANS, La On sale May 13-14-15, Limited May 30.
WASHINGTON, D C, On sale May 16-17-18, Limited June 1.
ATLANTIC CITY, N J, On sale May 16-17-18, Limited June 5.
Atlanta, Ga. On sale May 23-24, limited June 1st.
Charlottesville, Va. On sale June 14-16-17-18-20-27, July 5-11. July 5-11, Limited 15 days.
Knoxville, Tenn. On sale June 19-20-21-25-26, July 2-9-10-16 Limited to 15 days from date of sale. Extension by deposit and payment of $1.00 fee to Sept 30

Also to many other points.

All rates open to the public. See nearest ticket agent, or write to any representative of the Atlantic Coast Line R R, for further information.

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Savannah, Ga

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FOR STOMACH TROUBLE and CONSTIPATION

STOCK Reducing Sale.

Commencing to day we Begin our Great Cut Sale of Summer Goods

Our reason for this sale is to close out al summer goods to avoid carrying anything over to dext season. This is good business as it evables us to begin each season with a clean fresh stock.

This is to be the GREATEST CUT PRICE Sale we have ever held

So come now while you can save big money.

White Goods, Slippers, Oxfords, Underwear Clothing at half Price. Your opportunity.

NEW YORK COM HOUSE.

Elba's Greatest Bargain Center.

More goods for same Money, Same goods for less money.

For Sale.

I have for sale cheap one of the best houses in the Town of Elba. It is an eight room cottage with large lot abutting on the river and has all the modern improvements and conveniences

Elba, Ala., June 20th, 1910.
Claude Riley

Wintersmith's Chill Tonic

NO CURE, NO PAY

Oldest and best *cure* for chills and malarial fevers of all kinds.

Will "*break* your chills" and *clear your system* of the malaria that causes them—thus making the chills *stay* "broken."

No arsenic or other poisons; no injurious after effects; not bad to take.

As a *General Tonic* it will *build you up* and make you *immune* to all *malarial fevers.* Best tonic for children.

For over forty years it has been a household remedy throughout the South.

Sold by all druggists. 50 cents and $1.00.

PUZZLE FREE

Say you saw this ad, and send front side of box in which Wintersmith's Tonic is put up and we will mail you picture puzzle; latest craze; for adults as well as children.

Address ARTHUR PETER & Co., 639 Hill Street, Louisville Kentucky.

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On all JEWELRY

For the next Ten Days.

We must reduce stock so we put the knife to prices

OTHER REDUCTIONS.

If you'll mention this ad. so we'll know to give them to you, we will give you for the next ten days many reductions; among them the following.

STOCK FOOD: $1.00 size 75c
" 50c size 40c
" 25c size 20c

25c size Talcum Powder.for 20c; Soap 25c box for 20c

10 and 15c crepe paper. 5 and 10c. Big lot just in.

50c ounce perfumo, 35c

Pound package Talcum powder 15c

Other goods at similar prices, for 10 days, if you mention this advertisment.

Elba Drug Co.

D. J. Brooks, Manager.

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(Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium.)

MAKES POSITIVE CURES OF ALL FORMS AND STAGES OF

Physicians endorse P. P. P. as a splendid combination, and prescribe it with great satisfaction for the cures of all forms and stages of Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Syphilis, Syphilitic Rheumatism, Scrofulous Ulcers and Sores, Glandular Swellings, Rheumatism, Kidney Complaints, old Chronic Ulcers that have resisted all treatment, Catarrh, Skin Diseases, Eczema, Chronic Female Complaints, Mercurial Poison, Tetter, Scaldhead, etc., etc.

P. P. P. is a powerful tonic and an excellent appitizer, building up the system rapidly. If you are weak and feeble, and feel badly try P. P. P., and you will regain flesh and strength. Waste of energy and all diseases resulting from overtaxing the system are cured by the use of P. P. P.

Ladies whose systems are poisoned and whose blood is in an impure condition due to menstrual irregularities are peculiarly benefited by the wonderful tonic and blood cleansing properties of P. P. P., Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium. Sold by all Druggists.

CATARRH — BLOOD POISON — SCROFULA

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Savannah, - Ga.

RHEUMATISM

THREE NEGROES LYNCHED.

Mobs Get Busy in the States of Alabama and Mississippi.

Henry McKinney, a negro 18 years old, has been disposed of at the hands of a mob of Columbia citizens, according to Sheriff T. W. Butler, of Houston county, who returned to Dothan, Ala., from that place. The negro's fate is unknown, although he is popularly supposed to have been lynched.

According to Sheriff Butler, the negro made an alleged confession to having entered the room of a Miss Harrison with criminal intent. He was caught soon afterwards and placed in jail. A mob of fifty men is said to have stormed the jail, secured the prisoner and to have carried him towards the Chattahoochee river. Nothing has been heard or seen of him since.

UNCLE REMUS BENEFIT.

Theodore Roosevelt to Speak in Atlanta, October 8.

Theodore Roosevelt will speak in Atlanta in the Auditorium-Armory, on Saturday evening, October 8, for the benefit of the Uncle Remus Memorial Association.

Colonel G. J. Paxon, chairman of the advisory committee of the association has for some time been in communication with Colonel Roosevelt, urging him to help along the work of the association by delivering an address in this city. Mr. Roosevelt, who is a great admirer of the late Joel Chandler Harris, agreed to do so and all that remained was to fix the date.

AVIATOR KILLED.

Wings of Machine Doubled Up and Aviator Wachter Fell to Death.

The opening of the second aviation meeting at Rheins, France, on the historic field at Bethany was marked by a fatal acident, Aviator Wachter being killed. Wachter was the first of the contestants to appear for practice. In his Antoinette monoplane he battled along with the gale, amid the enthusiasm of the spectators until the rain compelled him to make a descent. He resumed his flights in the afternoon and was flying magnificently, when suddenly an explosion was heard. The wings of the machine doubled up and the monoplane dropped to the earth with lightning speed. The aviator was killed instantly in full view of the spectators, among whom were his wife and little daughter.

The accident is attributed to the breaking of the wire stays.

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GETS TITLED HUSBAND.

American Girl Weds Prince Radziwill. Wedding Was Opposed.

Miss Dorothy Deacon, daughter of the late Edward Parker Deacon, and Prince Antonie Albert Radziwill were married in St. Mary's church in Cadogan square, London, England. The ceremony was a quiet one, without bridesmaids and only a few relatives and near friends attended. Lord Grey de Ruth gave away the bride.

It is said Prince Radziwill married against the determined opposition of his mother, who is supposed to be in Austria to attend the wedding of a younger son.

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GENERAL NEWS NOTES After a seven hours' struggle the combined crews of 30-horsepower gasoline fishing boats, Good Partner and Pioneer I, captured a man-eating shark, 36 feet long, weighing about 15 tons, in the straits of San Juan del Fuca, between Port Crescent and Port Angeles. In the shark's belly they found pieces of bones and a piece of a kodak plate.

A deal by which the Louisville and Nashville railroad is to obtain control and practical ownership of the St. Louis Southwestern, known as the Cotton Belt, which has been pending for 90 days, and is expected to be consummated within the next 30 days, became known at St. Louis. The control of the Cotton Belt, it is reported will pass to the Louisville and Nashville for a cash outlay of a little more than $1,500,000.

The upper branch of the Louisiana legislature has gone on record as not only opposed to woman suffrage, but has refused to allow women to act as members of boards of an international or charitable nature, even though they be elected or appointed to such boards by men. The senate came to this decision when Senator Geuyedan tried to have passed his bill allowing women membership on educational and charitable boards. The bill was defeated by a large majority.

Baron Sternberg, arrested a few days ago, at St. Petersburg, Russia, by the secret political police after a search of his apartments, has been formally charged with communicating to Austria a report of a secret sitting of the duma.

While playing doctor the 10-year-old son of W. S. Holcomb, residing 3 miles from Fort Payne, DeKalb county, Ala., Monday reached on the shelf in the living room of the home, took down a bottle of carbolic acid and administered a big dose to his ten-months-old sister. The baby died in a few minutes.

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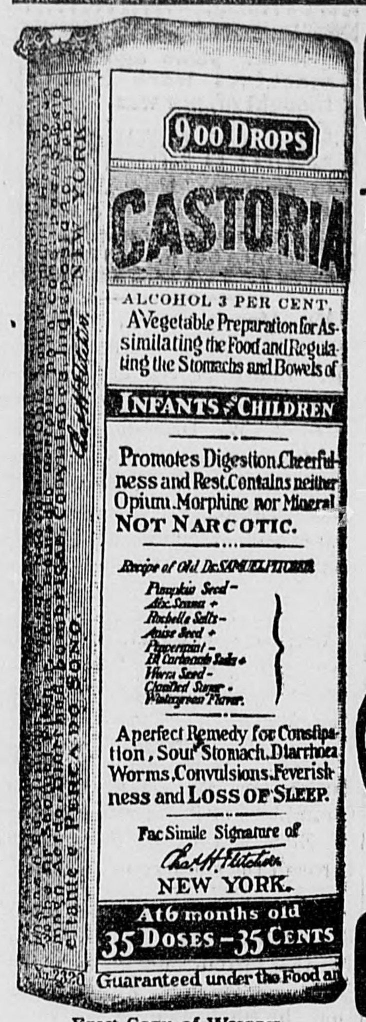
NEWS FROM NATION'S CAPITAL In a laudable effort to encourage the investment of American capital in Porto Rico and diversify the industries of that territory, the bureau of Insular affairs has issued a statement presenting in alluring terms the possibilities of growing, manufacturing and exporting cocoanuts and their by-products. It is said the nut thrives better there than anywhere else in the West Indes; that the trees grow wild along the sandy coast, requiring no care and thrive where other trees would die. A tree produces 100 nuts per year, sold on the tree at 1 cent each, or were gathered at $18 or $20 per 1,000, and they sell at a profit of more than 100 per cent in New York.

Although President Taft would not discuss the question of a successor to Chief Justice Fuller so soon there is a strong impression among those close to the executive that Governor Hughes will be the next presiding justice of the supreme court of the United States. The death of Mr. Fuller means absolutely that the Standard Oil and the tobacco cases will not be reargued until next December.

All the rooms of the white house will be accessible to the public during the coming summer, for the first time in many years. Before leaving here, President Taft gave instructions that the building should be thrown wide open. As a rule only the public reception rooms are shown to visitors.

The East Indian cotton crop for the agricultural year 1909-10 will be 4,502,000 bales, an increase of 911,000 bales over last year's yield, according to the final memorandum of the East Indian government submitted to the state department by United States Vice Consul A. D. Jackson, of Madras.



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Twelve hundred section men with their foremen, comprising the force of the Delaware and Hudson system struck for more wages. The foremen want $10 more per month and the section men want 25 cents per day more.

Nearly all diseases of the skin such as eczema, tetter, salt rheum and barbers itch, are charactrized by an intense itching and smarting, which often makes life a burden and disturbs sleep and rest. Quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It allays the almost instantly. Many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by All Dealers.

As the result of a Sunday night raid on an alleged gambling house near Waycross, Ga., two negroes may die, five are in jail and Deputy Sheriff John P. Cason is seriously wounded. Surrounding the house, officers were able to approach without much trouble. When they went inside the house an inmate kicked the light out, after which the negroes began firing. More than 50 shots were exchanged.

The High Cost of Living.

Increases the price of many necessities without improving the quality. Foley's Honey and Tar maintains its high standard of excellence and its great curative qualities without any increase in cost. It is the best remedy for coughs, cold, croug, whooping cough and all ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. City Drug Co.

Why Do You Suffer,

With headache, biliousness constipation and the ills is entails, when Foley's Orino Laxative will relieve and cure you. It tones up all the digestive organs, carries off the waste matter and stimulates the bowels to their normal activity. It is a splendid spring medicine. City Drug Co.

"$2,000.00"

Mr. Luther Guthrie, of Beaufort, N. C. spent money freely in employing doctors to cure his wife from continual headache. He writes:

"One bottle of Cardui did my wife more good than anything she has taken for ten years past. She had suffered with headache for ten years and I had spent $300.00 for doctors' bills for her, but nothing did her any good.

Take CARDUI

She has taken two bottles of Cardui and it has done her two thousand dollars ($2,000) worth of good. Just as long as it is made, I shall have Cardui in my home."

For all forms of female pain, like headache, side ache, pain in limbs dizzy feelings, dragging down sensations, etc —Cardui has been found to be an effectual remedy. Don't wait till you are "all run down."

Try Cardui at once
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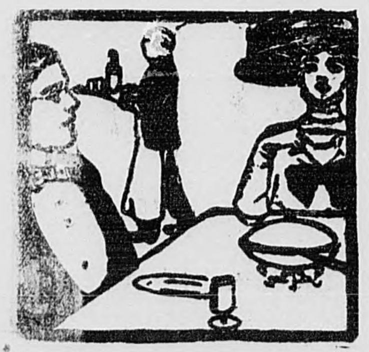
I Will survey your lands and probate you deeds. Write, phone or come to see me



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Nothing is surer to bring on Dyspepsia and all kinds of Stomach Troubles, than late suppers, rich food, irregular meals, etc. Nothing is better for relieving these disorders than

Dr. D. Jayne's Sanative Pills

This standard medicine can be used as a laxative, purgative or cathartic with excellent results. It is also an effective remedy for Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Gout, and affections of the Bladder and Kidneys.

Sold by all druggists; two sizes, 25c and 10c.

Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge is a gentle and effective tonic for all the family.

THINK OF
Mexican Mustang Liniment
AND WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU.

Relief from pain that might otherwise cause you hours of agony.

Tired out muscles eased up and made ready for another day's work.

Lameness in the back and shoulders promptly cured and stiff joints limbered up.

Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Mashes rendered painless and quickly healed.

Rheumatism, Lumbago and Sciatica robbed of their anguish and banished forever.

Ulcers, Old Sores and Open Wounds healed promptly and permanently.

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To Owen State Capitol

Prof. Benson Writes of Chicago.

University of Chicago, July 9.
To The Clipper,
Elba, Ala.

It is Saturday afternoon, our week's work is over, and my roommate has gone to the baseball grounds to see a game between the Chicago and New York teams of the National League. But this weather is too hot for me to brave the steaming pavements and skye-scrapers of the down town district. I spent two summers before this in the north and so I know something about the fierce heat of the great cities, but this summer has so far been the worse in my experience. It seems that I shall have to go back to the "Sunny South" to keep cool. There have been several death in this city each day lately from the oppressive heat. Refreshing breezes from lake Michigan make the nights very pleasant. There has been but little rain here for the past two weeks, in marked contrast to the continuous rainfall in Alabama. We only hope that conditions will be exchanged soon.

The University of Chicago is situated in the coolest part of the city; near the lake and near the scene of the famous World's Fair in 1893. Its own growns are extensive, and Washington park is near by on the west and Jackson park on the east. While it is one of the youngest it is among the greatest of America's Universities. Its wonderful growth is due to the fact that immense sums of money were at its call from the beginning, and Dr. Harper, a great educational leader, was at its head. His genius as an organizer has never been excelled. He was original in his methods, but did not hesitate to copy from others. Some of the most beautiful buildings here are reproductions of famous European colleges. This istitution is now worth twenty-six million dollars, runs all the year round, and enrolls nearly six thousand students.

There are always many hundred students from the South and they maintain a Southern society. It is almost being at home to meet at this society, hear the soft accent and sing the songs of Dixie. At our meeting this week officers were elected, and Alabama carried off the first honor. Mr. Heflin, a brother of Congressman Heflin, being elected president. I feel some personal pride in the result as the new president gives me credit for manageing his campaign.

Of course the University gave a holiday on the fourth. I went down to the business district of the city to see the parade. This was to be a "sane fourth." Heretofore people have celebrated the fourth with fire works, thereby causing many fatal accidents Patriotic leaders took the matter in hand this year and celebrated the occasion with an historical pageant. It was a great success. Fifteen thousand persons took part in the parade, and three hundred thousand spectators lined the streets. Remembering that Zacheus climbed the sycamore tree, I contrived to get in an elevated position, tho not a tree, where there was room for one more, and greatly enjoyed the spectacle. For two hours the parade passed by—soldiers, civic bodies, and forty historical floats. Three of the floats represented "Signing the Declaration of Independence" "Betty Ross Making the Flag," and "Inauguation of Washington." Some others were not so appropriate, such as "Lincoln's Log Cabin." Old Abe had nothing to do with the revolution.

In the afternoon and at night there were manouvers by the United States troops stationed here. This took place in an immense open arena, surrounded by seats for forty thousand spectators. The troops built and blew up a bridge, scaled a perpendicular wall, fought a sham battle, signalled by wireless telegraphy, made pyramids of themselves on bareback horses—all with the precision of clock-work and to the strains of inspiring band music, I confess that I was most interested in the ambulanch race, where they climbed fences, rescued wouded soldiers and dashed away with them out of danger. That appeared to me to be avery necessary part of their practice, if they are ever to do any real fighting. Perhaps I am too much a man of peace, in thus appreciating the rescue of comrades more than the killing of the enemy.

Of course the Reno prize fight received its share of attention. The returns were received and read to waiting crowds at many places. Five thousand paid $2 a seat to hear the returns at the Colisseum. But the crowd was very much disgusted. It would have been frantic with delight had the white man won. Race feeling, as strong as can be found in the south, was evident, and dominant everywhere—in the hotels, on the cars and in the surging throng on the street. Of the two and a half millions people of Chicago about 50,000 or two per cent, are negroes. From two per cent, these people are learning what it is to deal, as the South has to deal, with forty per per cent. Looking far ahead, and planning for the future, the South could not, for many reasons, adopt a wiser policy than to constantly preach "Go North negro, go North."

By the way I heard a good sermon Sunday on a peculiar text, it was "Playgrounds." It was a good lecture but hardly a sermon. The best speaker I have heard so far was Dr. Hillis, who is from Brooklyn, I think, and has been in our state.

As for education I attended the commencement of Hyde Park High School the other night, to see how far they are ahead of Elba and Coffee county. Well, I came away not feeling at all discouraged. In fact I didn't think the exercises were so good as ours. But perhaps I am not an impartial witness.

Do not be alarmed, Mr. Editor, by this long letter, for I shall probably not have time to inflict another one on my indulgent friends.

W. W. Benson.

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Fresco Ball.

Mr. Editor:—Please give me space for the base ball news from Fresco.

Fresco's first nine played Victoria and won the game by a score of 23 to 0.

Fresco's second nine played Terrentum and beat them by a score of 13 to 8.

Other scalps will be pulled later. Perry Lambert.

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Coffee County Institute.

To Be Held At Pine Level, July 29 and 30, 1910.

FRIDAY 10:00 A. M.

1. Devotional exercise, J D Fuller.
2. Walcome address, J D Smith.
3. Response, T D Woodham.
4. Organization and enrollment.
5. Purpose of Teachers' Institute and its effects, P. M. McNeil.
6. Cleanliness, Miss Jessie Page.
7. Short Talks by Trustees and patrons.

1:30 P. M.

1. Song "Jesus Lover of My Soul" directed by Daniel Bryan.
2. First year work with beginners, Miss Eunora Farris.
3. Some don't's for young teachers, Supt. C. H. Byrd.
4. Disciplin, F. M. Fleming.
5. The Hook-Worm disease as it affects the children in his school work, cure, etc., Dr. W. A. Lewis.
6. Report of school improvements, Mrs. W H Halloway.
7. General talks, report of committee on hospitality.

8:15 P. M.

Address, A. W. Tate.

SATURDAY 9:00 A. M.

1. Devotional exercises.
2. A more efficient teaching force, W W Benson.
3. How I teach United States History, W M Brunson.
4. The Rural School Problem, C E Roberts.
5. Recitation.
6. Should teachers review lessons before presenting them to classes, J W Hicks.
7. The study of Agriculture, W J Brown.
8. Question box.
9. Report of Committees.

W. M. King,
J. D. Fuller,
Committee.
C. H. Byrd,
Superintendent.

A Few short weeks.

Mr. J. S. Bartell, Edwardsville, Ill., writes: "A few months ago my kidneys become congested. I had severe backache and pain across the kidney and hips. Foley Kidney Pills promptly cured my backache and corrected the action of my kidneys. This was brought about after my using them for only a few short weeks and I can cheerfully recommend them. City Drug Co.

Fire destroyed a barn on Mr. P. J. Ham's lot in Elba early Tuesday night, and called the whole population out to see the sight. We understand the barn was filled with corn and other stock food. The corn escaped with little damage due to the quick and good work of Elba's fire department. When the fire was discovered it did not seem possible for anything to stop it, but the fire fighters were soon on the spot and in a few minutes had the flames under control. The loss will amout to about $350 but, fortunately, Mr. Ham has a "barrel" of money so he will not feel the loss.

Notice.

The next state teachers examination for Coffee county will be held at Elba 18, 19, 20 inst.
C. H. Byrd, Supt.

Farm For Sale.

For sale at a reduced rate 160 acres of level piney woods land 4½ miles north of Elba. Four room house, good water and 25 acres of cleared land on place.

J. H. Walker,
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The Sturdy Yeoman

If I could sing as Austin sings, and strike his tinkling lyre, I would not give to queens or kings my words of living fire. For folks who loaf around on thrones don't need the poet's lay; they weary of his throbbing tones, and wish he'd go away. I'd sing about the man who rules his kingdom with a plow; who daily whacks his dusty mules, and milks the spotted cow. I'd sing about the sturdy plebe, who most appeals to me, who bravely breaks the stubborn glebe, whatever glebe may be. The farmer raises wheat and corn, with plow and thingumbob; this world would be a place forlorn if he should jump his job. The men that we consider great, the rich, the men of fame, the mighty pillars of the state—all these might quit the game, and this old earth would jog along, and never throw a fit; but things would soon be going wrong if all farmers quit. And so I'd sing the yeoman's lay if I had Austin's harp, immortalize the bale of hay, and boost the farming sharp; I'd pass up all the thrones and crowns, and all the princely trade, for men who came in hand-me-downs with eggs their hens have laid. Walt Mason.

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There is a new type of citizen now rapidly growing more numerous in our state, that are destined to work wonders in the material development of the land and make this the rishest and happiest section of our country. This new citizen is the scientfic farmer, the man who works his lands along progressive lines, who knows the value of scientific investigation to agriculture, and knows how best to apply this knowledge to nis own particular needs. This is the kind of man that will rule the world and feed it in future. The day has passed when "anybody has sense enough" to farm. The business has passed the stage where it pays to do "old time" farming, and those who will not adobt new methods must go down in hopeless defeat.

Teething children have more or less diarrhoea, which can be controlled by giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, All that is necessary is to give the prescribed dose after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Sold by All Druggist.

Mr. S. A. Clark who farms on Victoria mail route, was in Elba Wednesday and told us of a new treatment he had given an orchard on his place that may prove helpful to other Clipper readers. Mr. Clark said his orchard of apple and peach trees had not born any fruit for several years, that all the trees were unthrifty, some of them had died, and the whole orchard looked like it would never make a good yield. At this stage Mr. Clark decided to give all the trees a dose of salt—just common, coarse salt. He scarped a little of the dirt from around the trees and sprinkled a few hand fulls about the roots, and then raked the dirt back to the trees. The result has been all that could be desired. A good crop of fine fruit is now on the trees, a new growth has been made and the whole orchard now looks well.

Adam Freeman Convicted

Wednesday night deputy sheriff D. D. Knight reached Elba, bringing with him from Montgomery Adam Freeman. Freeman was arrested some two weeks ago on a charge of violating a labor contract. Shortly afterwards sheriff Jim Knight was ordered to carry Freeman before the United State court at Montgomery, in connection with peonage investigation before the United States grand jury. A considerable number of citizens of Coffee county have been summoned before the Federal grand jury.

Wednesday Freeman was sent back to the custody of the Coffee county courts as above stated, for trial. Yesterday he was tried on charge of violating contract with Mr. Henry Moody, and was fined $225.00 and costs. Attorney Claude Riley sat as special judge in the case, Judge Ham perfering not to try it, as there several witnesses who were relatives of his. The case was hard fought all the way. It is said that an appeal will be taken, mainly based on the form of the contract. A motion for setting aside the verdict will be heard by special judge, Riley to-day.

Agricultural Institute.

Wednesday from 10 to 12 expert from the faculty at Auburn held a farmers institute in the court room, Judge Ham adjourning court for the purpose. A large crowd of farmers enjoyed the session.

Dr. Cary lectured on live stock breeding, especially advocating mule growing, and telling how good mules can be cheaply raised here.

Dr. McAdory lectured on ticks and tick eradication, and Prof. Cauthen on soild improvement. The meeting was very helpful.

County Court

County courty will end its work after a busy session today. Many civil cases have been disposed of this week, and a number of criminal cases carried over from last week have been tried.

John Hopkins, charged with breaking criminal contract, gets 187 day sentence in chain gang.

Tee Hutchison, fined in assault case and pistol toting case, get one sentence of 102 days and another of 121 days.

Nath Scale, violator of contract, got 157 days in chain gang.

John Barnes, for violating contract, was sentenced to 138 days hard labor.

Jim Payn was setenced to 140 days hard labor, on charge of carrying pistol concealed.

Adam Freeman has not yet been sentenced, a motion for new trial being pending.

Among the last cases disposed of were those of Henry Hughes, who plead guilty to public drunkness and was fined ten dollars, and Lige Coon, who plead guilty to abusive language and was fined one dollar and costs.

The agricultural experts here Wednesday spoke to a good size crowd, but not near so large a one as would have heard them had a little attention been given to advertising the institute. It probably cost the state $50 to get these men here to lecture, and it was poor business policy not to make some effort to let farmers know that the institute was to be held. Just $5 expended in advertising the meeting would have doubled the crowd and the good derived from it. And it stands to reason that if $5 will double the effectiveness of a $50 investment it is best to spend the $5.

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